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5 **UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**  
6 **DISTRICT OF NEVADA**  
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8 SERGEY MKHITARYAN,  
9 Plaintiff(s),

Case No. 2:20-cv-02169-JAD-NJK

10 v.

**Order**

11 LAS VEGAS METROPOLITAN POLICE  
12 DEPARTMENT, et al.,  
Defendant(s).

13 On September 30, 2021, the Court referred this matter to the Pro Bono Program to inquire  
14 specifically as to whether Dominic Gentile and/or Paola Armeni would represent Plaintiff in this  
15 matter. Docket No. 14. Neither Mr. Gentile nor Ms. Armeni filing a notice of appearance, on  
16 November 2, 2021, the Court referred the matter to the Pro Bono Program for a more generalized  
17 search for an attorney who would be willing to represent Plaintiff in this matter. Docket No. 22.  
18 The Court has been informed that this search is underway and that it will continue for another 30  
19 days. In the event counsel is not obtained through this referral by February 15, 2022, the Court  
20 will consider additional steps to ensure Plaintiff's interests are properly protected. *Cf. Davis v.*  
21 *Walker*, 745 F.3d 1303, 1311 (9th Cir. 2014).

22 IT IS SO ORDERED.

23 Dated: January 5, 2022

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26 Nancy J. Koppe  
27 United States Magistrate Judge  
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